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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

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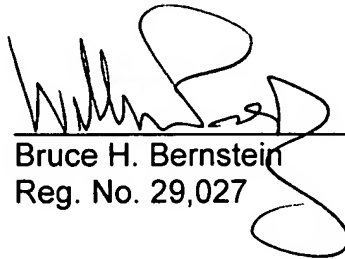
Sir:

During a telephonic interview of November 8, 2005 between Examiner Charlie Peng and Applicants' representative Attorney William Pieprz, the Examiner suggested an Examiner's Amendment to cancel claim 8 in order to place the application, in which claims 8-12 and 28-42 were then pending, in condition for allowance. This amendment was agreed to by Applicants' representative without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter.

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Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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